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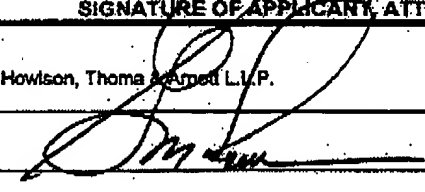
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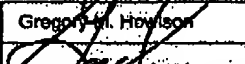
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This communication is responsive to the Examiner's Office Action mailed December 6, 2001.

**In the Claims**

Please amend Claims 22 and 26 as rewritten below in clean form. Another version of the rewritten claims is attached hereto on a paper separate from the amendment labeled "Version With Markings To Show Changes Made," marked up to show all the changes relative to the previous version of each claim being amended.

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

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